

## LATE LAWS BY WIRE

## Mr. Bryan Leaves Buffalo for a Short Stamping Tour.

## TO VISIT NORTHERN NEW YORK TOWNS

## He Speaks at Tonawanda and Views the Falls.

## IMPRESSIONS OF THE EAST

NIAGARA FALLS, N.Y., August 28.—In his Syracuse speech William J. Bryan explained his campaigning tour by remarking that because few of the people had enough money this year to visit a presidential candidate, it seemed only fair that the candidate should go to see the people. In pursuance of this policy Mr. Bryan left Buffalo by trolley this morning to begin a two days' campaign among the smaller cities of northern New York.

At Tonawanda there were gathered 200 or 300 people when the car stopped in the center of the town, and the crowd, Mr. Bryan, standing on the platform, shook hands with a typical country crowd. Mr. Bryan spoke to them briefly, his voice in its business showing the wear and tear of the week's work, and when the trolley moved off it was followed by three cheers for the president-elect, as the proposer of them shouted.

The speech follows: "Ladies and gentlemen: (A voice, 'We are fighting the aristocracy of gold now.') 'Ladies and gentlemen: The Chicago platform, while it was written and adopted by the democratic party, has been the cause of no less a sectional question than it simply reassures the democracy first taught by Thomas Jefferson and afterward defended by Andrew Jackson. It is the policy of the democracy upon which the democratic party must always stand unless it decides to abandon the principles which have been its principles from the beginning, and substitute the plutocracy that some have called modern democracy. (Applause.)

The Chicago platform simply reiterates those fundamental principles upon which our form of government must rest. The keynote of the Chicago platform is found in the Declaration of Independence, that all men are created equal and that, therefore, no citizen has the right to appropriate to himself the blessings of the Creator intended for all the people of this country. (Applause.) Laws should not be made so that the many will have to pay the fruits of the toil of the few. That platform means that every man shall be defended in the enjoyment of that which he earns, but that no man shall be permitted to enjoy what somebody else has earned and which is taken from him by violent legislation. The reason they use abusive epithets and apply hard names to those who support that platform is because they know that the platform is a menace to their power, and the smaller wrongdoer only, but also to the larger transgressor who attempts to use the government for his own selfish wrongs. (Applause.) I do not think it is going to require a great deal of talk in this country. We are not going to have any difficulty to find speakers. They will go out into any of the stores, the machine shops, the farms or to the men who work along the roads and find them ready to hear enough about the principles of this government to be able to discuss these questions and apply them to themselves. The great common people do not need a particular class to tell them what they shall do. They can think for themselves, and I think that when November comes they will act for themselves." (Great applause.)

## Bryan's Experience in New York.

During the morning ride Mr. Bryan gave to the Associated Press a statement of his views concerning the party outlook in the city of New York coming after his recent visits with Senator Hill, Governor Harrison and minor party men in the largest cities of the state, all of which he has visited, the statement may be considered significant. Mr. Bryan said: "I am not at all surprised that the democratic party of last evening. It far surpassed anything which I had expected. I am also pleased and surprised that the democratic party of the Chicago convention. From what I have seen in New York, and from the sentiments expressed by the members of the organization, I am satisfied that the state convention will endorse the platform as well as the ticket. Some of the democrats may be a little more conservative, but as a national platform and will be accepted as a whole."

## Bryan Will Go to Columbus.

CHICAGO, August 28.—National Democratic Committee member McConville denies that Mr. Bryan's program for the coming year is to be carried out in the Buffalo dispatches last night. The itinerary as arranged will be carried out. Mr. Bryan will be at Columbus, Ohio, September 1, and will then go to Toledo, in answer to inquiries, has sent out a number of telegrams correcting the statement.

## ON BOARD THE DOLPHIN.

The Chinese Minister and Legation Taken Down the Bay.

ON BOARD THE DOLPHIN, NEW YORK, August 28.—The Dolphin, which conveyed the government welcoming party down the bay to meet the St. Louis anchored in the North river, opposite Pier No. 1, very early this morning, and the Chinese minister, Mr. Wu, and his suite, and a secretary had been at the dock at 8 o'clock, but not finding anybody there, had driven to the city and the foreigners were in their agitation. The minister and the consul wearing the peacock feather dependant from the back of the black and red cap. Heavy canes and black silk robes, pale blue trousers and white felt shoes completed the costume.

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## COL. ILLI'S PROPHECY

## He Says Ohio Farmers Will Vote for Bryan.

## Reports a Complete Fusion Between Democrats and Populists.

Colonel Ike Hill has just returned to this city after having visited Springfield, Ohio, as a member of the committee of five of the state central democratic committee to confer with a committee of the populists to arrange for terms of fusion in the coming election. The democrats agreed to give the populists five of the twenty-three electors of the state and two places on the state ticket, which was acceptable to them.

"The fusion between democrats and populists in Ohio is complete," said Colonel Hill to a Star reporter today. "The populists polled 50,000 votes two years ago, and they will probably poll 80,000 at the coming presidential election. The Indianapolis ticket will poll 100,000 votes in Ohio, and I am betting on that. The Indianapolis ticket won't amount to a pinch of straw in Ohio."

"The farmers in Ohio are getting ready to vote for Bryan in November without regard to their former political alliances. They say they have had enough of the republicans in force now, and it does no good. The only other thing the republicans are offering them as a relief in their distress is higher taxation, and they find it hard to understand how that will help them. They say that it is impossible, and they are determined to try bimetalism at 16 to 1. They believe it will help them, and they are sure it can't make their condition worse."

"Talk about ovations to Bryan in the east," said Col. Hill, with a look of some degree of disgust on his face. "As great as they have been here, they are but a shadow of the reception to be given him in Columbus, Cleveland and Toledo. When Mr. Bryan gets to those cities he will find the biggest audiences that have ever assembled in the history of this country. Put me down as a prophet of that, and I'll make a reputation, though I'm no prophet's son of a seventh son. The people will go miles to see and hear him, and the Madison Square crowd would be lost in the sea of people that will struggle to get within the sound of Bryan's voice."

## REPUBLICAN MEETINGS.

Announcement of Speakers by Chairman Hahn.

CHICAGO, August 28.—Chairman Hahn of the republican national committee has announced the following assignments: Senator Burrows of Michigan will speak at Pittsburgh, Kan., September 10, and at Hutchinson Kan., September 10. Senator Thurston of Nebraska will speak at the following places: Seymour, Ind., September 12; Indianapolis, September 13; Chicago, September 14; St. Paul, Minn., September 15; Grand Rapids, Mich., September 15; Detroit, September 25; Omaha, Neb., September 26; St. Louis, September 27; Kansas City, Mo., October 2.

Senator Thurston's Program.

DENVER, Col., August 28.—Senator Henry M. Teller has arrived home from a two weeks' trip in the mountains of Colorado and New Mexico. He will deliver a political speech at a national convention tonight, August 30, at Colorado Springs. Mr. Teller will also deliver a speech at the national convention, and will also deliver a speech at the national convention, and will also deliver a speech at the national convention.

Alabama Gold Democrats.

MONTGOMERY, Ala., August 28.—About 200 gold standard democrats met here in convention yesterday, with Congressman Harrison as chairman. A full set of delegates to the Indianapolis convention was chosen, and resolutions were adopted favoring the nomination of William McKinley.

Idaho Republicans.

BOIES, Idaho, August 28.—The straight republican convention closed yesterday. The platform indorses the St. Louis platform. The financial plank declares that bimetalism can only be brought about through the free coinage of silver. The nominees: For governor, G. H. Budlong; for Congress, J. T. Morrison; secretary of state, T. G. Garrett.

DR. GALLAGHER RELEASED.

The Irish Political Prisoner Freed from London.

LONDON, August 28.—Dr. Thomas Gallagher of New York, the Irish political prisoner, was released from Portland prison this morning in charge of an infirmary nurse. Tickets were taken for Waterloo railway station, London, but it is believed that he will stop at Southampton. It is understood that the United States embassy has booked a passage for Dr. Gallagher on the American Line steamship St. Paul, which will leave for New York tomorrow.

Five Delegations to Call on McKinley Tomorrow.

CANTON, Ohio, August 28.—Tomorrow promises to be one of the busiest days yet for Mr. McKinley. Five delegations are scheduled to arrive here during the day. The first delegation will be the commercial men from Chicago, who will be received about 10:30 a.m. by the president-elect, and the premier Lodge, K. P. of Cleveland, followed by the Lisbon, Ohio, farmers, and the German-American citizens from Cleveland. The German-American citizens will be received by the president-elect, and the Lisbon, Ohio, farmers, and the German-American citizens from Cleveland.

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## THE SHORTAGE MAY REACH \$5,000

## A Friend Proposes to Help to Make It Good

## A DESCRIPTIVE CIRCULAR

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## LIGHTING PUBLIC PARKS

## Col. Wilson Has Deferred Action Until the Court Decides.

## On the Advice of the Attorney General He Will Await the Settlement of the Pending Suit.

## Motion for a New Trial Argued and Overruled.

## AN APPEAL NOTED

This afternoon Attorney Andrew Wilson, of Wilson & Barksdale, appeared in the Police Court to argue the motion previously made by him for a new trial in the case of Contractor Winfree, convicted of violation of the eight-hour law, in working his men over eight hours a day in the reconstruction of the Wallace school building.

Mr. Wilson read the eight-hour act and said the information against Winfree sets out an alleged misdemeanor, and it is stated that there was no extraordinary emergency under which the work was done. He held that it was necessary for the government to prove that there was no extraordinary emergency. The government had not done this.

On the other hand, witnesses showed that there was such an emergency as to excuse working more than eight hours a day, and that moreover there was pressing need for the doing of the work. The contractor had been asked to make the school building at one time. This was shown by the testimony of both sides.

Was There an Emergency?

The principal point to be made at this time is that it was necessary for the government to show that there was no pressing emergency, and failing to show that, the defendant was entitled to a verdict of acquittal without producing any further testimony. The government has not made a complete information in this case, inasmuch as it has failed to include the second section of the eight-hour law, wherein the words "intentional violation" are used, and which, Mr. Wilson contended, are the gist of the case.

Mr. Wilson produced numerous authorities, which he read at length, to substantiate his contention. He held that the information has not included the question of intent.

Mr. Wilson said the question is one of too grave importance to be passed over hurriedly. It means a great deal to the laborer and to the employer. There is no penalty unless the defendant intentionally violated the law.

Government's Side.

Assistant District Attorney Maloney opposed Mr. Wilson's demand for a new trial, and contended the contention upon which the demand was made. He held that it was necessary for the defendant to show an extraordinary emergency for violating this act. The burden of proof did not devolve upon the government. It was not necessary for the information to refer to the violation being intentional. The information should only apprise the defendant of what he was charged, in order that he might defend himself.

Verdict Justified.

Judge Miller held that the jury had not committed an error, but that the facts before the jury justified their verdict. He therefore overruled the demand for a new trial.

Mr. Wilson gave notice of his intention to apply for an appeal to the Court of Appeals for the second circuit.

Mr. Maloney moved for the appointment of a guardian for the defendant, Winfree \$100. The execution of the sentence was suspended upon the filing of a bond of \$500 to prosecute the appeal or abide by the decision of the court.

POLICE COURT ACCOUNTS.

Trouble Caused by the Disappearance of a Clerk.

The disappearance of Policeman Dan Williams, alleged to have gone off with Police Court funds, has made considerable extra work for the clerk's office, and with three clerks away it is almost impossible to give anything like a good service to the public. Although the two clerks have been greatly overworked since the flight of the missing clerk, they have managed to get along, but the public is not benefited thereby. Trouble in procuring warrants, witness fees and orders for the return of stolen property